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In re application of)
Paul S. Germscheid, et al)
Serial No. 09/448,154)
Filing Date: 11/24/99)
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR)
A WEB APPLICATION SERVER)
TO PROVIDE FOR WEB USER)
VALIDATION)

Examiner L. Wassum
Group Art Unit 2177
Docket No. 33012/274/101

AMENDMENT

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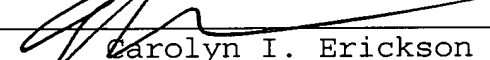
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IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1-20, being all pending claims, to read as follows(support for this amendment is found in Appendix A):